The head and chief men of the faculty of Divinity in Pans therefore assembled together and after full consideration gave this answer

* First, that those priests who upon the above named causes deferred to obey were no schismatics
* Secondly, that they committed no sin at all in that fact in itself considered '

i *ill May* THE EARL OF ESSEX'S LETTER TO THE QUEE\T

My Lord of Esses hath lately written to her Majesty, beseeching the return of her favour , for, saith he, c as if I were thrown into a corner like a dead carcase, I am gnawed on and torn by the basest creatures upon earth The prating tavern haunter speaks of me what he lists , the frantic libeller writes of me what he lists, they print me and make me speak to the world, and shortly they will play me upon the stage ' Wherefore he would beseech her to conclude his punishment, his misery and his life altogether, that he may go to his Saviour, c Who/ quoth he, f has paid Himself a ransom for me, and Whom methmls I still hear calling me out of this unkind world, in which I have lived too long and once thought myself too happy' Upon the receipt whereof the Queen used good and gracious speeches of him, saying that her purpose was to make him know himself and his duty unto her and that she would again use his service

l6th May A FRENCH TUMBLER

One Peter Bromville is come to London, being specially recommended to the Queen by the French King, and hath showed feats of great activity before her By her special favour and the instruction of the Council this man is allowed to show his feats of activity at the Swan in Old Pans Garden, Mr.

Francis
Langley*s house The Queen hath graced this Frenchman with
being present at his feats upon his rope, which were many and
admirable It was in the Conduit Court, and 4,000 people at
least were at it

i$tb May MR RICHA.RD HAKLUTT

Seeing that the benefice of Great All Hallow's in Thames
Street is void by the decease of the incumbent, the Council